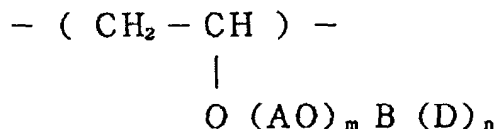


WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A dispersible composition comprising a polymer compound, a functional substance, and a solvent or a dispersion medium, the polymer compound
5 comprising a monomer unit represented by the general formula (1)



wherein A is a straight-chain or branched alkylene group of 1 to 15 carbon atoms with or without
10 substitution; m is an integer of 0 to 30, and when m is 2 or more, A is the same or different each other; B is a single bond or an alkylene with or without substitution; D is a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic ring structure; n is an integer of 1 to 10,
15 and when n is 2 or more, D is the same or different with each other.

2. The composition according to claim 1, wherein the polymer compound further contains a
20 residue selected from the group consisting of carboxylic acid ester, carboxylic acid and carboxylic acid salt.

3. The composition according to claim 1,

wherein the polymer compound is amphipathic.

4. The composition according to claim 1,
wherein the polymer compound is a block polymer.

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5. The composition according to claim 4,
wherein the monomer unit of the general formula (1)
is incorporated in a hydrophobic block segment of the
polymer compound.

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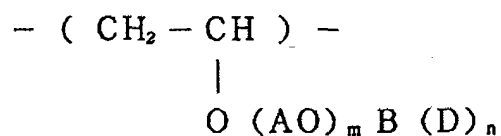
6. The composition according to claim 1,
wherein the functional substance is encapsulated in
the polymer compound.

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7. The composition according to claim 1,
wherein the functional substance is a colorant.

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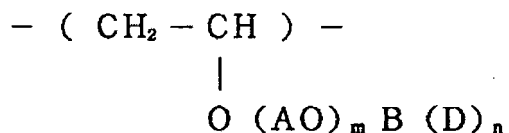
8. A toner composition comprising a polymer
compound, a colorant, and a dispersion medium, the
polymer compound comprising a monomer unit
represented by the general formula (1)



wherein A is a straight-chain or branched alkylene
group of 1 to 15 carbon atoms with or without

substitution; m is an integer of 0 to 30, and when m
is 2 or more, A is the same or different each other;
B is a single bond or an alkylene with or without
substitution; D is a substituted or unsubstituted
5 aromatic ring structure; n is an integer of 1 to 10,
and when n is 2 or more, D is the same or different
with each other.

9. An ink composition comprising a polymer
10 compound, a colorant and a solvent, the polymer
compound comprising a monomer unit represented by the
general formula (1)



wherein A is a straight-chain or branched alkylene
15 group of 1 to 15 carbon atoms with or without
substitution; m is an integer of 0 to 30, and when m
is 2 or more, A is the same or different each other;
B is a single bond or an alkylene with or without
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20 aromatic ring structure; n is an integer of 1 to 10,
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with each other.

10. The ink composition according to claim 9,

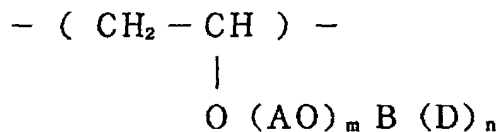
wherein the polymer compound further comprises a residue selected from the group consisting of carboxylic acids, carboxylic acid esters and carboxylic acid salts.

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11. An image forming method comprising a step of applying a dispersible composition according to claim 1 onto a recording medium to form an image.

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12. A block polymer compound comprising a monomer unit represented by the general formula (1)



wherein A is a straight-chain or branched alkylene group of 1 to 15 carbon atoms with or without substitution; m is an integer of 0 to 30, and when m is 2 or more, A is the same or different each other; B is a single bond or an alkylene with or without substitution; D is a substituted or unsubstituted aromatic ring structure; n is an integer of 1 to 10, and when n is 2 or more, D is the same or different with each other,

wherein the block polymer further comprises a residue selected from the group consisting of carboxylic acids, carboxylic acid esters and carboxylic acid salts.

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